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PETITION FOR CORRECTION OF INVENTORSHIP
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.48(b)

Applicants submit this Petition to request correction of inventorship for the subject application under 37 C.F.R. 1.48(b) in view of pending claims.

The correct inventors were properly named in the subject application as originally filed. As originally filed, there was no error in including Philip M. Wallace as an inventor of the subject application. During prosecution, claims were amended and canceled, thereby requiring deletion of an inventor under 37 C.F.R. §1.48(b).

The subject application was originally filed with claims 1-37, and Peter S. Linsley, Jeffery A. Ledbetter, Nitin K. Damle, William Brady, and Philip M. Wallace as inventors. In the course of prosecution, Applicants added new claims 38-45, and canceled claims 1-37, 39, and 41-42.

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Presently, claims 38, 40, 43-45 are being examined.

Philip M. Wallace is not an inventor of currently pending claims 38, 40, 43-45. Therefore, Applicants respectfully request that Philip M. Wallace be removed as an inventor of the claims in the subject application.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.48(b), Applicants authorize the Patent Office to charge the amount of \$130.00 under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i). No fee other than the fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i), is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this petition. However, if any additional fee is necessary, the Patent Office is authorized to charge the additional fee to deposit account No. 50-0306.

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